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 Title: SYSTEM FOR TRANSPORTING SUBSTRATE CARRIERS

Transmitted herewith is the patent application identified above, including:

- Specification, claims and abstract, totaling 63 pages.
- Drawings totaling thirty pages, Formal Informal.
- Return Postcards

FEE CALCULATION					
Fee Items	Claims Filed	Included With Basic Fee	Extra Claims	Fee Rate	Total
Total Claims	30	- 20 =	10	X \$18.00	\$180.00
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